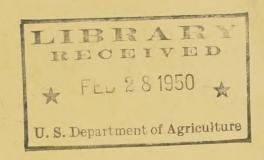
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# CUTTING'S NURSERY

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Minnesota

# This Catalog Is Sent to You...

- To Assist you in making selections of the trees, shrubs, evergreens and plants that will be most suitable for improving your lawn, orchard, garden, windbreak or flower border . . . .
- To Express our thanks to our many customers who have given us their business during the past years . . . .
- And to Invite every home owner to come to us with their problems in garden making, landscaping, or planting of orchards and windbreaks. We have had much experience in these lines and believe we can help you to decide what and how to plant.

### What We Have to Offer to Home-owners

First—A good selection of all the old reliable varieties of shrubs, trees, evergreens, fruit trees and bushes, and greenhouse plants, and the best of the new varieties.

Second—Prices that are as low as those of any nursery and only about one-half as high as the prices of nurseries employing salesmen to call on you. We are able to do this by sending out a catalog that is not too expensive, by using the cash and carry method which cuts out the shipping costs and does away with poor accounts, by furnishing a landscape service for our customers in nearby communities so we can deal directly with them and do not hire high-priced men to call on them.

Third—Quality. Our trees and plants are as good as can be produced. A nurseryman can ship poor stock to a distant customer and get by with it once—but when his products are placed in his customers hands at the nursery or delivered to their home in his truck, he has just got to have good stock.

Fourth—You have the privilege, and are urged, to come to our nursery and select the stock you want and ask us all the questions you wish regarding the care of the stock.

Fifth—Our landscape service is free to all prospective customers. You are under no obligations in asking us to go to your home and give you advice about your plantings, and if necessary we will prepare a complete landscape plan for you. On account of shortage of help we cannot furnish much of this service after early April, so let us hear from you now if you are interested in making some plantings at your home this spring.

### CUTTING'S NURSERY

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# Cutting's Hardy Ornamental Shrubs

Ornamental shrubs are the foundation of all landscape plantings. They lend a charm and grace to the home grounds that is invaluable. It is the softening grace of the dwarf and medium height shrubs when planted about the foundations that creates the transformation from bareness to beauty. The taller shrubs find their proper place as specimens in the lawn or in the border along the lot boundaries to give privacy or to screen out unattractive views.

### ARROWWOOD

8-10 feet. An attractive shrub with peculiar dentate leaves, bright green foliage turning to rich purple and red in the fall. White flowers followed by small blue-black berries that are relished by the birds. Does well in shade. 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### PINK FLOWERING ALMOND

A very double pink flowering shrub, in bloom before leaves appear in spring. Growth dwarf and bushy, compact, with slender branches. Fine plants to use in grouping or for lawn. 2-3 ft., \$1.00.

### BARBERRY

### THUNBERGI-

This low, spreading shrub is useful in foundation plantings, borders and hedges. The bright green leaves take on a splendid autumn coloring of gold and scarlet. The twiggy branches are set with small, sharp thorns and in spring are covered with small yellow flowers succeeded by brilliant scarlet berries. 12-18 inch, 60c; 18-24 inch, 75c.

### RED-LEAVED-

Has rich, bright red foliage in spring that remains so during the summer if in full sun. Is unusually beautiful in fall with bronze and yellow of the foliage and abundant scarlet berries that persist through the winter. 12-18 inch, 75c; 18-24 inch, \$1.00.

### **BUFFALO BERRY**

An attractive silvery shrub bearing masses of brilliant red berries in late summer and fall. A handsome ornamental up to 12 feet tall. 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

### CARAGANA

### SIBERIAN PEA TREE-

Extremely hardy. Blossoms are pea like and yellow in color, coming forth in small clusters in late spring. Fine for border or group planting. Does well in shade. 3-4 ft., 80c.

### **CINQUEFOIL**

A very attractive dwarf shrub, growing to about 2 feet. Attractive yellow flowers throughout summer. 18-24 inch, 50c.

### CORALBERRY

A low, slender branching shrub valuable for planting in shady places and for covering steep slopes. Its beauty lies in the masses of coral berries that ripen in the fall and usually adhere all winter. 2-3 ft., 75c.

### HIGH-BUSH CRANBERRY

One of the best shrubs for ornamental planting. Extremely hardy. The white flowers of early summer are followed by brilliant red berries that resemble cranberries. Useful for jelly. Leaves are large, with a vivid fall coloration. 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### FLOWERING CRABS

### НОРА-

One of the most popular and attractive of the highly colored, spring flowering ornamental crabs. In spring the tree is a mass of dark red flowers, in fall covered with dark red fruits, which make a delicious jelly. 5-6 ft., \$1.75; 6-7 ft., \$2.25.

### RED SILVER-

A very attractive lawn tree with maroonred leaves overlaid with silver on the under side. Has dark red blooms followed by dark red fruit which hangs on until winter. 6-7 ft., \$2.25.

### ALMEY (Rosybloom)-

Has large blossoms of unfading, glistening red with white markings at base of each petal giving effect of a 5-sided star. When in bloom, this strong healthy tree, from a distance looks like a mass of flame. 5-6 ft., \$2.00.

### ROSYBLOOM NO. 454-

Buds are deep red, opening to small rosy flowers which fade to pink followed by small red fruit. Habit of tree is narrowly columnar, suggesting the outline of a Lombardy Poplar. Leaves are deep, purplish red. 5-6 ft., \$2.00.

### **ALPINE CURRANT**

One of the best shrubs for very shady locations. A dwarf shrub of dense growth with fine dark green leaves. Unexcelled for a low hedge. 15-18 inch, 75c.

### CISTENA CHERRY

### PURPLE LEAVED SANDCHERRY-

Grows 3 to 4 feet high, spreading about the same. Foliage of a rich dark red which makes a valuable contrast in shrub plantings. 3-4 ft., \$1.50.

### DOGWOOD

### SIBERIAN RED TWIGGED-

Good for border plantings where the smooth slender bright red branches make a pleasing contrast with snow and evergreens. Small white blooms early in summer, succeeded by a fall crop of ornamental berries. **3-4 ft., 85c.** 

### **FORSYTHIA OVATA**

Has ascending branches which arch gracefully. Flowers are pale primrose-yellow, making a beautiful sight in April before the leaves are out. Should be pruned directly after blooming to make compact bushes. If branches are cut in late winter and placed in water they will bloom in the house. 2-3 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.25.

### FLOWERING PLUM

6 to 7 feet. The earliest flowering hardy shrub of deep pink. Double blossoms appear in great profusion before the leaves, completely covering the branches with what appear like pink roses. A beautiful sight. 3-4 ft., \$1.50.



### LILAC

### COMMON PURPLE-

Is perfectly hardy, makes a dense growth, flowers fragrant. Often used for hedges and screens. 2-3 ft., 75c.

#### PERSIAN LILAC-

A decided improvement over the common Lilac. A shrub with slender, arching branches, attaining a height of 8 to 10 feet. The foliage is small, the flowers bright purple. Blooms in May and June. A much more profuse bloomer than the common and does not sprout from the roots. 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 12 for \$10.00.

### FRENCH LILACS

### CHARLES JOLY-

Double. Purple-red. One of the best double dark reds. Bush medium both in size and height, limbs growing very upright. Rather large blooms, held erect well above the foliage; very striking. 2-3 ft., \$1.50.

### MME. CASIMIR PERIER-

Double. A very free blooming white with yellow stamens giving it a rich creamy appearance. A very strong, thrifty plant and always dependable. 2-3 ft., \$1.50.

### PRES. GREVY-

Double. Light blue. Immense panicles; very double and symmetrical. A clear, soft, delicate blue. One of the older sorts and still one of the most desirable. 3-4 ft., \$2.00.

### PRES. CARNOT-

Double, orchid pink. 18-24 inch, \$1.25.

### HONEYSUCKLE

### TATARIAN PINK-

Strong upright growing shrubs which thrive under any conditions. Produces an abundance of pink flowers in May, followed by red berries in the fall. Greyish-white bark is attractive at all times. One of the best shrubs for tall screens or border plantings.

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### ZABELI-

The new red honeysuckle. Grows slower than the Tatarian, less subject to mildew, has bright red berries and is very useful and attractive wherever you need a goodsized shrub. 3-4 ft., 85c; 4-5 ft., \$1.25; \$12.00 per 12.

### RUSSIAN OLIVE

10 to 12 feet. Its foliage is of a remarkable silver hue, showing up in striking contrast to the green of other shrubs and trees. Has fragrant yellow flowers. Very hardy. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

### **HYDRANGEA**

### P. G.-

This is the variety which blooms in August, the large cone-shaped heads of bloom being white at first then changing to pink. To secure that wonderful show of bloom which you often see, they should have a good soil, plenty of moisture and be protected from the hot south winds. An ideal location is on the north side of the house and beyond the range of the roots and shade of large trees. Severe pruning in spring will insure much larger bloom. 2-3 ft. plants that will bloom this year, \$1.00.

### HILLS OF SNOW-

Large flat clusters of white blooms from June to September. May be used in either border or foundation plantings. Stands shade very well. Stems should be cut back to a few inches above the ground during the dormant season. 18-24 inch, 75c; 2-3 ft., \$1.00.

### SNOWBERRY

A valuable shrub in group plantings. Conspicuous because of the masses of snow white berries produced in September and remaining on the bushes into the winter months. Height 4 to 5 feet. Pink flowers in July. 2-3 ft., 50c.

### SPIREA

### ANTHONY WATERER-

Brilliant rosy carmine flowers. Blooms all summer. Always blooms the first season. Is very useful for planting in front of larger shrubs. Grows 2 feet high. 15-18 inch, 75c.

### RICHMENSIS-

4 to 6 feet. Panicles of bright pink flowers. Blooms for several weeks beginning in June. 18-24 inch, 50c.

### SPIREA FROEBELI-

Similar to Anthony Waterer, but a foot taller, with broader and darker leaves, which are a beautiful salmony bronze red in spring, reverting to similar shade in fall. Has reddish pink flowers in dense corymbs during July and August. 18-24 inch. 75c; 2-3 ft., \$1.00.

### ARGUTA, SNOW GARLAND-

The earliest Spirea to bloom, the bush becoming a mass of snowy garlands before the leaves appear. Grows 4 to 5 feet high. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### KOREAN SPIREA-

Grows 5 to 7 feet tall and forms a big, dome-shaped bush covered in June with large, rounded clusters of snowy-white flowers marked with darker eyes. More robust and blooms two weeks later than the Bridal Wreath. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

### DWARF NINEBARK

One of the newer shrubs and is very desirable as a low massing shrub and makes a hardy dense hedge of low to medium height. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### THUNBERGI-

May. One of the finest spring blooming, small shrubs. The flowers are pure white and are borne along the entire length of the branches. Bending them down in graceful curves. Foliage narrow and willow-like and turns to pleasing shades of orange scarlet in autumn. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### SPIREA VAN HOUTTE, (Bridal Wreath)-

Perhaps the most popular of all the Spireas and has been the most planted. It is of upright though pendulous growth with a foliage of rich green which assumes pleasing autumnal coloring. Very graceful and ornamental even when out of bloom. When covered with its dense clusters of pure white flowers, the branches are weighted down nearly to the ground and the whole bush presents a mass of the most beautiful rich white. A beautiful shrub either for single lawn specimens or in groups. Grows 5 to 6 feet high.

### WEIGELA BRISTOL RUBY

Hardier and more vigorous than all other red Weigelas; makes a shapely, thrifty plant with attractive rich green foliage. Color of bloom is a soft rubyred shading to garnet-crimson. Attains a height of 6 to 7 feet at maturity; requires very little pruning because it flowers well from old wood. 3-4 ft., \$1.50 each.



Lemoine Syringa

### TAMARIX, (Hispida)-

Fine foliage producing a fernlike effect. Attains a height of 6 to 8 feet. Pink flowers in July and August. **3-4 ft., 75c.** 



NEW

"Minnesota

Snowflake"

MOCKORANGE

### SYRINGA OR MOCK ORANGE

### GRANDIFLORA-

An upright, rapid growing shrub, well adapted for background planting. Has large single white flowers in June. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

### LEMOINE-

A showy, free blooming variety with slender twiggy and slightly arching branches. Flowers are creamy white, fragrant, smaller size than most of the varieties but because of their profuse blooming habit are most effective at blossom time. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### VIRGINAL-

One of the finest of the improved Mock Oranges. Flowers are very large with large petals and double crested. Usually borne in clusters of 5 to 7. Sweet scented and long blooming. We consider this to be one of the very best blooming shrubs we can grow in Minnesota. Will bloom the first season. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### MINNESOTA SNOWFLAKE-

An outstanding introduction, every blossom a very double pure white, and when fully open several layers of petals are in display. The season of flowering is late June and early July. The large, dark green leaves have a robust texture, and, unlike other Mock Oranges, the foliage extends over the lower branches. The shrub is thoroughly hardy, extremely vigorous and long-lived. It is useful for screen, tall border and specimen plantings. Minnesota Snowflake is undoubtedly the most valuable shrub introduction of recent years. 2-3 ft., \$1.50; 3-4 ft., \$2.00.

### COMMON SNOWBALL

Handsome white flowers are produced in great globular clusters. Has long been one of the most popular and showy varieties on our lists. 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

# **HEDGES** — Beautify As They Serve

Hedges give a finish that nothing else can give and serve as a fence as well. Whether it is used as a living wall of green, neatly trimmed and kept within bounds, or as a free growing row of shrubs which screen out unsightly views, there is nothing quite so satisfactory as a hedge. Where little space is available, the hedge makes an ideal boundary planting. The hedge is decorative the year around and will add much to your lawn.

We are growing only the varieties of hedge plants that have been found

to be very satisfactory for this territory.

### ALPINE CURRANT

Absolutely hardy, free from disease and insect pests, bright green foliage which remains on the plants until late in fall. Grows very bushy and is best variety for ornamental hedge from one to three feet in height. Plant fifteen inches apart.

10 100 15-18 inch \$7.50 \$60.00

### **BUCKTHORN**

This not only makes a very ornamental hedge but is the best variety for protection as the branches are stiff and makes a stout hedge of any height from 2 to 10 feet. Our plants have been transplanted and twice cut back, making them much superior to the seedling plants sold by some nurseries at a lower price. Plant 12 inches apart. Our buckthorn plants this year are the best we have ever seen.

	10	100
2-3 ft., transplants	\$ 3.00	\$25.00
3-4 ft., transplants,		
3 or more stems	4.50	40.00

### HONEYSUCKLE

### TATARIAN PINK-

Sometimes used as a sheared hedge, 4 to 5 feet high, but is unexcelled for a tall screen or border, growing 10 to 15 feet high. 3-4 ft., \$7.50 per 12; \$60.00 per 100.

### THUNBERG'S BARBERRY

A graceful shrub becoming very beautiful in fall with its yellow and red leaves and red berries. Its dense growth and sharp briars make it a good hedge plant for protection from trespassers. Plant 12 to 18 inches apart.

10 100 12-15 inch transplants ...... \$ 3.50 \$28.00 18-24 inch transplants, heavy 5.00 40.00

### SPIREA VAN HOUTTE

Often used as a sheared hedge but is especially adapted for use as a screen or snowbreak, planting them from 2 to 4 feet apart and allowing them to grow to their natural height of six to seven feet. 2-3 ft., \$5.00 per 12; \$38.00 per 100.

### DWARF ARCTIC WILLOW

A promising new hedge plant that thrives northward even into Canada. It does well in dry or wet soil, in sun or partial shade. If left untrimmed, it makes a compact dwarf hedge about two feet tall and two feet wide. Makes a very fine trimmed, low hedge. The beautiful silvery blue-green, feathery foliage makes a welcome introduction of new color to hedges. 15-18 inch, \$30.00 per 100.



Buckthorn Hedge

# Climbing Vines and Roses

#### BITTERSWEET-

Native climber, with handsome, glossy foliage. The flowers are not conspicuous, but the chief glory of the vine consists of the large clusters of beautiful, orange-crimson fruits, in quaint yellow husks, retained all winter. Bright in effect, its graceful sprays of berries are charming for winter house-decoration, and are used for draping doorways, mantels, and pictures. 2 yr., 50c; 3 yr., 75c.

### BOSTON IVY-

Used generally to cover walls, its fine shoots extending to the roofs of tall buildings. In the fall the leaves assume the most gorgeous and varied tints. The young leaves are quite distinct from those which are of older growth. The vine can be made to cling even to wood. The young plants require some covering in winter for a year or more. Not altogether hardy in Minnesota. 2 yr., 75c; 3 yr., \$1.00.

### CLEMATIS JACKMANII-

Flowers, when fully expanded, are 4 to 6 inches in diameter, intense violet-purple, with a rich, velvety appearance distinctly veined. It blooms continually from July until cut off by frost. Potted plants, that will bloom the first season, 95c.

### ENGELMAN'S IVY-

This variety is a rapid grower, has beautiful dark green foliage, and in the fall gives a beautiful autumn effect, the leaves changing to almost crimson. It is used to great advantage on churches and large buildings of all kinds, to soften the hard stone and brick effects. 2 yr., 50c.

### SCARLET TRUMPET HONEYSUCKLE-

Hardiest and most generally used variety. This bears during the summer clusters of scarlet, tubular flowers and is one of the freest and best varieties. Handsome in foliage and fruit. 2 yr., 50c.

### GOLDFLAME HONEYSUCKLE-

The large flame-coral trumpets lined with gold, fragrant after nightfall, appear in immense showy clusters the same year the plant is set out. Reaching its full glory of bloom in early summer, it nevertheless flowers abundantly from May until frost. The dark, blue-green foliage is attractive in itself and makes a perfect background for the brilliance of the flowers. Hardy in all parts of the country. Allowed to grow naturally Goldflame will climb a trellis or spread as a ground cover; if pruned it becomes a striking specimen shrub. 2 yr., \$1.00.

### CLIMBING ROSES

#### PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER-

The brightest and purest red of all the pillar roses. Vivid scarlet, shaded crimson, semi-double flowers in clusters, that retain their color till they fall. A vigorous grower with a profusion of blooms that remain for a long season. 2 yr., \$1.25.

### CRIMSON RAMBLER-

Great masses of crimson, semi-double flowers are borne by the vigorous plants. 2-yr. plants, \$1.25.

### HARDY BUSH ROSES

### HARRISON'S YELLOW-

Is perhaps the best known and most common June bloomer. 5 to 6 feet tall, it is a perfect mass of bright yellow, double roses, 1 to 2 inches across, for several weeks in June.

#### F. J. GROOTENDORST-

The beautiful effect of the many clusters of small, bright red Roses is familiar to many. Blooms almost continually. Compact, bushy growth.

### ROSA BLANDA-

One of the extremely fine shrub roses. This makes a shrub 3 to 5 feet tall, is spreading, very hardy, filled with single pink flowers in the spring followed by red berries that make it very attractive during the winter months. You need these to liven up your landscape.

### HANSA-

A large, double, deep red Rose of pleasing fragrance. Foliage rich dark green. Bush is very hardy and is a splendid ornamental shrub.

### HUGONIS-

The long, arching branches are closely set with lovely single flowers very early in the season, sometimes before June 1st in this latitude. The blooms are approximately 1½ inches across and of clear bright yellow which does not fade to white. Strong 2 yr. plants of the above varieties, \$1.25; 3 yr. plants, \$1.50.

### A GIFT FOR YOU

Did you receive one of those Handy Turners we gave to our customers last spring? If not, just ask for one. They are surely a handy article to have in the kitchen.

If you have a Turner, we have a nice Memo Pad for you.

# Cutting's Shade and Ornamental Trees

Bring beauty and comfort to your home landscape by wise selection and placement of trees. Trees are the backbone of nearly all landscape plantings. When planning your order give careful consideration to these important uses of trees:

- 1. To provide **shade** in the desired locations on the lawn and near buildings, at different times of the day.
  - 2. To frame the home and its views.
  - 3. To provide a background for gardens and buildings.
  - 4. To screen undesirable views.
  - 5. To protect from cold winter winds.
  - 6. To provide color in flower, foliage or fruit.

"For trees, you know, are friends indeed, They satisfy such human need; In summer shade, in winter fire, With flower and fruit meet all desire, And if a friend to man you'd be, You must befriend him like a tree."

-Chas. A. Heath

### GREEN ASH-

The hardiest of all the native trees. Useful for parks and streets, or for lawn planting. Shapely and handsome. 8-10 ft., \$2.00: 10-12 ft., \$2.50.

### AMERICAN WHITE BIRCH-

A beautiful, graceful, upright tree with white bark which makes a pleasing contrast with the dark trunks of other trees. Very effective in clumps near evergreens. 5-6 ft., \$1.75; 6-8 ft., \$2.75; 3 for \$6.50; 8-10 ft., \$4.00.

### CUT-LEAF WEEPING BIRCH-

The drooping branches found in this form bring gracefulness to the Birch. The finely cut leaves become an attractive clear yellow in autumn while the showy white bark provides color throughout the year. It is effective when used in groups of two or three. 5-6 ft., \$3.00; 6-8 ft., \$4.50; 8-10 ft., \$7.00.

### AMERICAN ELM-

America's noblest and most popular shade tree, large and spreading, combining strength and grace. One of the best lawn and boulevard trees—majestic, hardy, permanent. The prices are for well shaped specimen trees. The measurement in inches means the diameter of the tree just above the ground. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.50; 10-12 ft., \$3.50; 1½-2 inch caliper, \$5.00; 2-2½ inch caliper, \$7.00.



American Elm

CUTTING'S



The Soft Maple tree, shown here, is the best of the fast growing trees. If you have place where a shade tree will be worth more to you during the next ten years than in a more distant time, then plant the Soft Maple.

### LAKE CITY ELM-

The original specimen of this variety was found growing in Lake City, Minnesota. It is a type of American Elm of unusual merit. Close, upright growth. Trees are all symmetrical and uniform in shape, yet with sufficient spread to make it a valuable shade tree. It is especially adapted for boulevard planting as it does not have low spreading branches to interfere with travel on the sidewalk and pavement. 8-10 ft. trees, \$3.50.

### MOUNTAIN ASH, Red Berried-

One of the most ornamental trees you can possibly plant. The foliage is a beautiful green. Light, smooth bark, a broad head very compact, with gorgeous creamy white blossoms in the spring, followed by the many, many clusters of scarlet and carmine berries in the late summer and fall. It grows rapidly and attains a height of about 30 to 40 feet. 3-4 ft., 75c; 6-7 ft., \$2.50; 7-8 ft., \$3.50.

### MAPLE, Silver or Soft-

A good appearance and rapid growth make this tree very popular where an immediate effect is required. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.50; 1½-2 inch, \$4.00.

### MAPLE, Hard or Sugar-

This is one of the most beautiful of shade or boulevard trees. It is stately in all seasons, but truly gorgeous in fall when its dense leaves are brilliant yellow, orange and scarlet. For beauty and permanence Hard Maple cannot be surpassed. 6-8 ft., \$4.00; 8-10 ft., \$5.00; 1½-1½ inch, \$8.00; 1½-2 inch, \$10.00; 2-2½ inch, \$13.00.

### MAPLE, Norway-

Is without a doubt one of the most desirable shade trees for street and lawn planting. Of fairly rapid growth, reaching a height of 60 feet at maturity. Sturdy, compact and vigorous, forming a round head of stout branches and broad, deep green leaves. 8-10 ft., \$4.00.

### SCHWEDLER'S MAPLE-

Brilliant purplish red leaves in spring make a rich contrast with the green of other trees; gradually the highly colored leaves soften to bronze, then later to waxy green. A magnificent lawn tree. 6-7 ft., \$6.00; 8-10 ft., branched, \$7.50.

### NORWAY MAPLE, "CRIMSON KING"-

A remarkable new Maple tree that is unquestionably the best purple-leaved Maple ever introduced. In the spring the foliage is a much richer, deeper purple and moreover Crimson King carries this purple foliage right through the entire season until the leaves drop in the fall. 7-8 ft., unbranched, \$6.00 each.

### HACKBERRY-

One of the fine trees for shade or boulevard planting. It grows quite rapidly, to a uniform shape. It is extremely hardy and develops strong crotches. An interesting tree as a specimen or in a background planting. 8-10 ft., \$3.00; 10-12 ft., \$4.00.

### LOMBARDY POPLAR-

### LOMBARDY POPLARS by Mary Prentice Hardigg

Lombardy poplars standing in a row,
Most graceful they of all the trees I know.
Erect and straight they stand but never stiff,
They bend and bow this way and that as if
To grant to all within their reach
A silent friendliness more rare than speech.

This is the Poplar that is so much used for avenue or background planting. They form tall stately columns of dark, shiny-green leaves. It succeeds on soil too poor for other trees, and grows rapidly. Widely used for screening and windbreak purposes because the foliage grows close to the ground. 5-6 ft., 75c; 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 8-10 ft., \$1.50; 10-12 ft., \$2.50.

### NIOBE WEEPING WILLOW-

The golden Weeping Willow, the most beautiful in that species. Splendid as a lawn tree, for planting near pools or along the banks of streams. A graceful weeping tree with rich golden bark on trunk and along the long slender weeping branches. Hardiest of all the Weeping Willows. Very beautiful in the winter because of its rich yellow bark, which makes it very conspicuous. Absolutely hardy here in Minnesota. 6-8 ft., \$2.00; 8-10 ft., \$2.75.

"Man has called you Weeping Willow, But your soul is full of glee, And his tongue has named wrongly— Laughing Willow, you should be!"

### NORWAY POPLAR-

The most rapid growing tree you can plant. Use this for windbreak or for a quick temporary shade tree. 8-10 ft., \$2.00; 10-12 ft., \$3.00.



Many shade trees are allowed to branch too low. This Hard Maple was headed high so as not to monopolize the small front yard.

# Planting Nursery Stock

Most nursery stock can be planted in either spring or fall with equal success. Spring planting starts as early as the ground is in good "working" condition. Stock may be planted as long as it is dormant, but the earlier it goes in the better. Evergreens must be planted before any new growth starts.

Fall planting of evergreens starts in early August and continues until freeze-up, but the fall planting of shrubbery and other deciduous stock does not usually start until early October, or as soon as the plants become dormant

Bare roots of plants must be protected at all times from undue exposure to sun and wind, as even a small amount of "drying out" will definitely impair the

chances of the plant making a satisfactory growth. The hole for planting should be larger than the spread of the roots and only the best black topsoil should be used around its roots. It is safest not to use any manure in the hole, although pulverized peat mixed with the soil may be highly



Pfitzer Juniper

beneficial. The roots should be well spread, the soil worked carefully around them (avoiding air pockets) and then well firmed by tramping or by "water packing" with a running hose.

### **EVERGREENS**

### Prices Include Digging Evergreens with Ball and Burlap

### ARBORVITAE

### AMERICAN ARBORVITAE-

It can be trimmed to secure compact trees or allowed to grow naturally. Dependable under any average conditions of soil and care. A beautiful, deep green tree of soft, thick foliage texture. 18-24 inch, \$3.00.

### PYRAMIDAL ARBORVITAE-

The most compact and erect of the species, forming a solid pyramid of green that retains its slender shape without shearing. However, it may be made more compact and kept at any desired height by shearing. Useful for entrance and corner plantings. 2½-3 ft., \$6.00; 3½-4 ft., \$8.00.

### SIBERIAN ARBORVITAE-

A compact, dense, bushy plant. Conical in outline. Foliage a rich dark almost bluish-green. The hardiest of the Arborvitae and with its distinctive size, form and foliage texture fills a place in the landscape that no other evergreen does. 18-24 inch, \$6.00.

### GLOBE ARBORVITAE-

A dwarf, bushy evergreen that naturally forms itself into a ball-like form. Bushy and compact. Keeps its shape without trimming. Splendid for foundation plantings. One of the best all-around semi-formal dwarfs. 18-24 inch, \$6.00.

### JUNIPERS

### PFITZER JUNIPER-

A graceful, broad, low evergreen with sweeping fronds of grayish or bluish-green foliage. The strong tips give a definite horizontal line to its effect. Very hardy, standing full sun and also does well in semishaded locations. 12-18 inch, \$3.50; 18-24 inch, \$7.00; 3-4 ft., \$10.00.

### SAVIN JUNIPER-

Another of the most popular low foundation evergreens. More compact and a richer green than the Pfitzer. While growing in an upright, spreading, horizontal manner the tips are more heavily branched so that the plant seems more compact and without the horizontal tip effect achieved by the Pfitzer. Very hardy. 12-18 inch. \$3.50; 18-24 inch, \$7.00; 24-30 inch, \$8.00.

### KOSTER JUNIPER-

Low spreading variety with arching branches. Bluish-green. Very hardy. 18-24 inch, \$7.00; 3-4 ft., \$10.00.

### HETZI JUNIPER-

A new variety of the spreading type. Very graceful appearance, with a bluish cast on the new growth. 18-24 inch, \$7.00.

### DUNDEE JUNIPER, (upright)-

This outstanding Juniper is upright growing, is bluish-gray in the spring and summer and changes to a plum-like color in fall and winter. Without doubt the most satisfactory of all the upright Junipers. 3½-4 ft., \$12.00; 4-5 ft., \$15.00.



Dundee Junipers. Most satisfactory upright evergreen.

### ANDORRA JUNIPER-

A low growing spreading dwarf evergreen of real merit. Its rich silvery green of summer turns to a beautiful purplish bronze in fall. As the sap starts to move in the spring, this color intensifies and becomes truly striking. With the coming of new growth its more sombre green hue is resumed for the rest of the summer months. 15-18 inch, \$4.00; 18-24 inch, \$5.00.

### SPRUCE

### BLACK HILLS SPRUCE-

One of the hardiest and finest of all spruces—symmetrical, compact and bushy in growth. The foliage varying from a green to bluish-green tint makes the trees always striking for their bright, fresh color. One of the finest spruces for landscape purposes. 18-24 inch ,\$3.00; 2-3 ft., \$4.00; 3½-4 ft., \$8.00.

### COLORADO BLUE SPRUCE-

Prices of Selected Blue Color. 18-24 inch, \$5.00; 2½-3 ft., \$10.00; 3½-4 ft., \$14.00; 4-4½ ft., \$16.00.

### PINES

### MUGHO PINE-

This is an excellent dwarf pine, being globe shaped and erect branching. It is very attractive, especially in spring, when the new growth which seems like miniature candles completely covers the bush. 12-18 inch spread, \$4.50; 18-24 inch spread, \$7.00; 24-30 inch spread, \$9.00.

### AUSTRIAN PINE-

From Central Europe. Leaves or needles stiff and dark green, hardy everywhere and one of the most valuable conifers for specimen trees or windbreaks. 3-4 ft., \$6.00.

### WE DO NOT SHIP EVERGREENS—

Because of the excessive cost of packing evergreens for shipment, and the shortage of expert help for such work, we cannot ship any evergreens. You may call for them at the nursery, or we will deliver them at your home in Rochester.



Black Hills Spruce

### WATERING EVERGREENS

Nearly all the loss in newly planted evergreens is caused by lack of sufficient water. A thorough soaking with water once a week during the first year is usually all that is required. There must be a depression around each tree so the water will not run off, and it should be a definite job of some member of the family to do the watering on a certain day of each week.

### CASH AND CARRY

We are always glad to have our customers come to the nursery and make their own selections. It does not usually take long to assemble your order and we can pack most any ordinary order so you can carry it on your car. Our working hours: 7 a.m. until dark.

# Landscape Service

If your home needs some trees, shrubs and evergreens and you do not know what to plant or how to arrange it, we want you to feel free to ask us to give you the benefit of our many years of experience in planning and planting home grounds. We will be glad to go to your home and assist you with your problems about foundation plantings, "out-door living rooms," and hedges.

We will tell you what you need and you will find that our prices are very reasonable and our stock of the highest grade. This service is free and places you under no obligation.

CUTTING'S



Above plantings were made by Cutting's Nursery in 1926 and 1929 for three adjoining homes in Rochester, and now we are landscaping homes for the next generation!

### YEW

### DWARF YEW-

A hardy dwarf, slow-growing evergreen. Foliage is very heavy and of a waxy, shiny green color. Will thrive in dense shade. 10-12 inch, \$4.00; 12-15 inch, \$5.00.

### SPREADING YEW-

Usually grows about as tall as broad and does best if grown where it is not exposed to full sunlight. Foliage is dark, shiny green. 12-18 inch, \$4.00; 18-24 inch, \$6.00.

### DOUGLAS FIR-

This is a fine ornamental evergreen of graceful proportions, good color, rapid growth and extreme hardiness. It makes a large tree and should be planted where it will have plenty of room. Should be included in a mass planting of evergreens. 3-4 ft., \$6.00.

### Windbreak Trees

### BLACK HILLS SPRUCE-

These evergreens have been transplanted several times, are grown with plenty of room and are well rooted.

They will not be taken from the ground until you come to get them and if any of them do not live it will be because you have not given them proper care so we are making these low prices on them with the understanding that we do not replace any that may die.

### PRICE EACH-BARE ROOT

				50
	1	10	25	or more
18-24 inch	\$1.50	\$1.25	\$1.00	\$ .90
2-3 ft	2.00	1.75	1.50	1.25

### SHEARING EVERGREENS

Evergreens planted on the lawn can usually be allowed to grow about as they like, but those planted near the house must be properly sheared or they will not only get too large but will often become open and scraggy. This shearing is easy to do and most anyone can do it but it is very important that it be done at the proper time. The shearing will be much more satisfactory if done every year so it will not be necessary to cut anything except the present year's growth. In cutting this new growth there should be at least an inch left on each twig as this will encourage the production of new buds from which next years growth will start.

Shear Mugho Pine the first week in June, Spruces during the latter part of June.

Junipers and Arborvitae may be sheared in early spring if they had not been sheared the summer before, to be followed by the usual summer shearing. The regular annual shearing of these varieties may be done any time from June through August, probably the best time being the latter part of July.

### DECIDUOUS TREES-

Golden Willow	2-3 ft.	\$ 6.00
	3-4 ft.	10.00
Green Ash	2-3 ft.	5.50
American Elm	2-3 ft.	5.00
Soft Maple	18-24 inch	5.50

If you need something for a snow-break or to hide an undesirable view, the Honey-suckle bush is the best thing to use. Grows rapidly, very bushy, attaining a height of lifteen feet. Plant 4 feet apart. Tatarian Pink Honeysuckle—2-3 ft., \$3.75 per 10; \$32.00 per 100.

# Raspberries

### EARLY SUNRISE-

Without doubt the best early red raspberry for Minnesota. Berries are large and of fine flavor. Plants are heavy yielders, very hardy and disease resistant. No. 1 plants, 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.00; 50 for \$5.50; 100 for \$10.00.

### LATHAM-

That great Minnesota introduction—holds unchallenged first place as the leading commercial and home variety of Red Raspberry. It is hardy everywhere, bushes are sturdy, upright and vigorous, particularly resistant to diseases of all kinds. The fruit is very large, dark red, and firm. Latham is an excellent shipper, heavy yielder, easy picker. It has the qualities that make it the leading Red Raspberry of the day. No. 1 plants, 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.00; 50 for \$5.50; 100 for \$10.00.

### CUMBERLAND (BLACK)-

This is the most popular of the Black Raspberries. Fruit is large, firm and of good quality. 2 yr. plants, 12 for \$2.00; 25 for \$3.75; 50 for \$7.00; 100 for \$13.00.

### SODUS (PURPLE)-

Sodus has a larger berry than the other raspberries and is very productive. Fruit is firm and of finest flavor. 1 yr. plants, 12 for \$1.75; 25 for \$3.00; 50 for \$5.50; 100 for \$10.00.

# **Strawberries**

Strawberries should always be planted in the spring, the earlier the better.

### EVERBEARING

The Everbearing varieties will bear the first season from August until hard freezing weather. Blossoms should be pinched off until the middle of July so plants may become established.

### EVERMORE-

This was originated by the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. The berries are large and a red color so bright they glisten as though varnished. Many think they are the sweetest of all Everbearers. It will bear this summer, starting 60 to 90 days after planting and continue until freezing. Next year it will produce a heavy spring crop and then besides you will get fruit during the summer and fall. It is such a vigorous grower that in rich soils it makes a lot of new plants. 12 plants, 80c; 25, \$1.50; 50, \$2.75; 100, \$5.00.

### STREAMLINER-

Big, luscious berries of fine flavor and good color—perfect for serving fresh, in shortcake, or for quick freezing. Plants are self-pollenizing and heavy yielding. 12 plants, 90c; 25, \$1.75; 50, \$3.00; 100, \$5.50.

### JUNE BEARING

#### DUNLAP-

June bearing. Mid season. An old favorite. One of the best known and most widely grown strawberries in the north and eastern half of the United States. 25 plants, 80c; 50, \$1.25; 100, \$2.00; 200, \$3.75.

### PREMIER-

Perhaps the most popular June bearer at the present time. Ripens very early, productive and hardy, also a fair to good plant maker. Berries bright red, fairly firm, of good quality. 25 plants, 90c; 50, \$1.50; 100, \$2.50.

### ARROWHEAD-

Very firm, extremely hardy, highest quality, very large, heavy bearer, good plant maker. 25 plants, \$1.00; 50, \$1.75; 100, \$3.00.



Arrowhead

### THE MINNESOTA-

Developed by the Minnesota Fruit Breeding Farm. One of the outstanding varieties; ripening one to two weeks earlier than most June bearing varieties. Their uniform size and long bearing of fine flavor and excellent quality make them a big favorite. You will like the Minnesota. Very hardy. 25 plants, \$1.00; 50, \$1.75; 100, \$3.00.

### Strawberry plants and berry bushes will be sent postpaid.

Your family will not have all the strawberries they can eat in 1951 unless you plant a bed this spring. If you have space enough you should plant at least 100 plants. We have always advised planting more than one variety, as you never know which will do the best under certain conditions. We would suggest trying the newer varieties, Minnesota, early and Arrowhead, late, planting 50 of each. We know they are both good varieties.

### **Currants**

#### RED LAKE-

Originated recently at the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm—finest of all Red Currants. The berry is unusually large in size and of superior quality; the clusters are long and filled out to the top, with stems sufficiently long to make picking easy. Berries are a clear light red and the quality excellent. The bush is vigorous, upright, and productive. Ripens early midseason, but holds on over a long period so it can be used or marketed as desired. 2 yr. plants, 60c; 3 for \$1.50.



# Gooseberries

### PIXWELL-

One of Professor Yeager's wonderful productions. A cross between a native wild selection and a high quality cultivated sort. The berries are very large. The plants are rapid growing and vigorous. A heavy bearer. Fruit on long stems and bushes sparse in thorns, hence they are easy to pick.

### Gooseberry Prices

1 3 6 2 yr. plants ...... \$ .70 \$2.00 \$3.60

### Grapes

#### FREDONIA-

The new outstanding, early black Grape. Fredonia is the earliest good black Grape. The vine is vigorous and productive and ripens its fruit 3 weeks earlier than Concord. Fruit is large, sweet and of good quality.

### BETA GRAPE-

A heavy, annual bearer, hardy as the wild grape. Medium size black fruit of extra good quality for juice and jelly, and ripens so early that it can be grown far north. The Beta withstands our severe northern winters without protection. They may be grown on fences, over a building, or in a windmill tower and should bear heavily every year. Price of Beta and Fredonia grape, 2 yr., 50c: 6 for \$2.50.

### BLUE JAY (Minn. No. 69)-

This grape has very compact, large clusters of berries, about the same size as Concord. They are dull black and covered with a bluish bloom. When first colored and apparently ripe, they are rather acid, but if allowed to remain on the vine for 10 to 14 days longer, they become mild and pleasing in flavor. Also good for making juice and jelly. This needs to be planted near some other variety that will furnish pollen.

### RED AMBER (Minn. No. 45)-

This is undoubtedly one of the best of the recent introductions of the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm. A very fine, large, red Grape of exceptionally high quality. Perfectly hardy and need not be covered. Price of Blue Jay and Red Amber grape, 2 yr., 60c; 3 for \$1.50.



# **Plums**

### UNDERWOOD-

The Underwood is valuable because of its large, early fruit and annual bearing. It is the earliest of the large Plums, attaining a size of  $1^3/_4$  inches in diameter. Fruit is attractive red with splendid quality, small pit.

### SUPERIOR-

One of the very largest and very best of the Jumbo Plums originated by the Minnesota State Fruit Breeding Farm. The tree bears early and is a regular and heavy cropper. The fruit is very large, firm fleshed, beautiful red color and delicious quality to eat out of hand. Superior is one of the better Plums for home or for market.

### REDCOAT-

A red, freestone, early ripening, very productive, hardy Plum. Long, oval; excellent for canning and cooking.

### PIPESTONE-

A very large, productive, early midseason variety of excellent quality for dessert and culinary purposes. Yellow with a red blush.

### MOUNT ROYAL-

The search for a European Blue Plum, hardy enough to withstand the climate of the north-central states, has resulted in satisfaction with Mount Royal. It is apparently self-fertile and very productive. Fruit deep blue with an attractive bloom. Excellent for eating and canning. 4-5 ft., each \$1.85.

### POLLENIZERS FOR MINNESOTA PLUMS-

It is necessary to plant one or two pollenizing Plums with any of the Minnesota hybrids in order to get good yields. It has been found that the Minnesota hybrids do not fertilize one another and we recommend the following varieties which will effectively pollenate the standard varieties.

### HANSKA POLLENIZER-

A midseason variety bearing a round, brilliant red Plum with a wonderful aroma. It has a fine flavor and is a wonderful variety to eat from the tree, but it is especially fine as a canning Plum.

### KAGA POLLENIZER-

One of the most effective pollenizers for our Minnesota hybrids. In addition, Kaga is a very high quality, heavy yielding Plum. Especially good for canning.

# Hardy Cherries

Compass is the best pollenizer for the other cherries and should always be planted with them.

### OKA-

A tremendous yielder of large round cherries fully one inch in diameter. Dark red outside with a juicy, purple meat inside. Wonderfully sweet. The best of all the purple fleshed cherries.

#### SAPA-

Another excellent Cherry-plum hybrid with purple flesh and juice. Sapa is somewhat larger than Oka and has more of its plum parent characteristics. Bears at very early age and is usually an annual bearer.

#### COMPASS-

While this fine old variety is not the equal of the other two cherries in quality it is a most acceptable and popular fruit for canning. It is the best pollenizer known for the other cherries and should be included in all plantings.

Prices of above Cherry Trees
5-6 ft. Cherry Trees .....\$1.60 each; 3 for \$4.50

### NANKING CHERRY (Minn. Nos. 20 and 41)-

Improved Minnesota Creations—Two outstanding ornamentals and heavy producers of brilliant, useful fruit. The beautifully formed shrubs reach a height of about 7 feet and present an unusual combination of beautiful flowers (extra early), attractive foliage, with generous loads of brilliant, red cherries in early summer. The fruit is excellent for eating out of hand, or for jelly and canning. We offer two of the best of the new improved Nanking Cherries developed by our University Experts, Minnesota Numbers 20 and 41. 2-3 ft., \$1.20 each.

# **Hardy Pears**

### PARKER-

Introduced by the Minnesota State Fruit Farm, this splendid pear is now recommended for the southern half of Minnesota. The fruit is medium to large, with smooth skin; color, yellow-bronze with faint blush.

### PATTEN-

This pear has been thoroughly tested and is now recommended for planting in southern Minnesota and suggested for trial in favorable locations farther north. The fruit is of good size, resembles Bartlett in form and color; very tender, juicy and of good quality. Season, September.

Prices of Pear Trees

VIGORO, the Complete Plant Food, Supplies All Plants 11 Vital Elements!

### **APPLES**

### PRICES OF APPLE TREES

			Each	5	10
5-6	ft.	************************	\$1.35	\$6.25	\$12.00
6-7	ft.		1.60	7.50	13.50

#### TETOFSKY-

The first apple to ripen. Tetofsky is not only an eating apple of finest quality, but is excellent for sauce and canning.

### YELLOW TRANSPARENT-

Ripens about August 1st. Flesh juicy, tender and of fine flavor.

#### **DUCHESS**—

A vigorous growing, hardy tree and heavy bearer. Fruit is large, greenish yellow, striped with red. The standard early apple for the northwest.

#### BEACON-

The new Beacon is a fall apple, ripening with or a few days later than Duchess, and will keep for a month after harvest even without cold storage facilities. It is a highly colored, all-red variety—better eating than Duchess and is an excellent cooking apple. The tree is vigorous, productive, and very hardy. The early season, the uniform size and shape, the high color and quality, together with the keeping and handling quality so different from most early apples, makes Beacon the outstanding early apple for home or for market.

### WEALTHY-

The leading commercial variety for fall. In any orchard in this part of the country you will find Wealthy as the main variety. It is a great bearer, excellent for eating fresh or cooking. Fine grained and juicy. Ripens in September and is the best known and best liked of the fall varieties.

### McINTOSH-

Fruit above medium size, yellow covered with crimson, flesh snow white, crisp, very tender, aromatic and sub-acid. October to January.

### NORTHWESTERN GREENING-

Fruit very large, and handsome; turning yellow as it matures. This apple is in good demand as a cooking apple in late winter and spring. A good commercial variety in the southeast third of Minnesota. Season December to March.

### PRAIRIE SPY-

Prairie Spy is a big red apple with some green on it. An apple of the finest quality that will keep through the winter in an ordinary cellar. The tree is hardy here, a heavy bearer, and should be included in every home orchard and is undoubtedly one of the best varieties for the commercial orchard.

#### FIRESIDE---

It has a richness of flavor and a mildness in acidity that will appeal to the many people who prefer highly flavored, non-tart fruits of the Delicious type. Fireside produces a strongly branched, large and free growing tree which gives evidence of being a consistent annual bearer. The fruit is large, averaging three inches or more in diameter. The color is a very bright, attractive medium red, lightly striped and splashed with a darker red. The flavor is a mild subacid, very rich and pleasant. The quality is unexcelled for dessert purposes. Season from November to April.

#### MINJON-

An Apple closely resembling Jonathan in size, color and form. It is very hardy, very productive and ripens soon after Wealthy. Good eating and cooking quality. Rapidly becoming popular for commercial planting.

### HARALSON-

Its size, shape and color are just right for an ideal commercial Apple. The tree is extremely vigorous, productive and hardy. The branches spring at wide angles from the central trunk and are very strong in the crotches. The fruit will keep in an ordinary cellar throughout the winter without artificial refrigeration. An early, heavy bearer. The fruit hangs well to the tree until matured, is a deep red and the flesh is firm. Is a leading market variety and keeps all winter. Is an all purpose apple and is excellent for pies.

### MALINDA-

One of the hardiest, heaviest bearing, longest keeping apples that can be grown here. The flesh is yellowish-white, firm, juicy, and with a sweet after-taste.

### WHITNEY CRAB-

A large, red, mild flavored Crab, excellent for eating, canning, and pickles. Perfectly hardy, never blights and is a heavy cropper.

### DOLGO CRAB-

The best for jelly. Fruit is oblong, of real beauty and peculiar lemon-acid in flavor. Entirely different from any other crab apple and far superior for jellies, producing a transparent bright red jelly of high quality. The fruit is distinctly beautiful, borne in great profusion. Dolgo is a beautiful lawn tree, in addition to producing fruit of superior quality. It is a striking thing to see the masses of red fruit clustered along the branches.

### CHESTNUT CRAB-

This large dessert crab has been widely tested and has met general approval because of hardiness, productiveness and excellent quality for eating fresh or for sauce, pickles, and pies. The color is an attractive bronze red, season is early September.

# **CUTTING'S HARDY PERENNIALS**

Prices of perennials, except as noted; 35c each; 12 for \$3.50 Postpaid

### FALL BLOOMING ASTERS

### ADORABLE-

Best true pink hardy aster. Habit and growth are similar to Harrington Pink but color is slightly deeper salmon pink. 45c.

### **MOUNT EVEREST—**

The finest and best white aster. It forms very tall, well-shaped pointed pyramids with an abundance of lateral growths, which flower right down to the ground. Makes wonderful bouquets as cut flowers. **45c.** 

### BLUE GEM-

Large, lovely flowers of blue with a yellow center, best blue in cultivation. September until frost. 3 to 4 feet. **45c.** 

### BEECHWOOD CHALLENGER-

This variety is in our opinion the closest to red we have been able to come so far in Hardy Asters. It is free-flowering, of medium height, and brilliant crimson-red color. Planted together with Mount Everest the contrast is striking. **45c.** 

### COLUMBINE

Delicate flowers in many colors. Long spurred. June and July. 24 inches.

### COREOPSIS

Large brilliant yellow flowers. Stems long, graceful. Blooms all summer. 2 feet.

### CORAL BELLS

Low-growing, tufted, plants which bear a profusion of dainty coral-red flowers on long, slender stems. Blooms nearly all summer.

### PYRETHRUM ROSEUM

### PAINTED DAISY-

Beautiful daises of pink and red cover the plant in June.  $2 \ \text{feet}$ .

### DELPHINIUM

### BELLADONNA---

The freest and most continuous blooming of all, never being out of flowers from the end of June until cut down by hard frost. The clear turquoise-blue of its flowers is not equaled for delicacy and beauty by any other flower.

### D. BELLAMOSA-

A free-blooming, dark blue type.

### BLACKMORE & LANGDON STRAIN-

A famous English strain. All the clear shades of blue, with bees of contrasting colors.

### BLEEDING HEART

### DIELYTRA SPECTABILIS-

Blooms May to June. Height 3 feet. Flowers pink and white; heart-shaped. **75c.** 

### D. EXIMIA-

Plumy Bleeding Heart. Finely cut, fernlike foliage with showy rose-colored flowers. Blooms all summer. Stands partial shade. Height, 18 inches. **75c.** 

### **GYPSOPHILA**

### BRISTOL FAIRY-

A double Baby Breath of great vigor, producing large panicles of flowers and blooming more or less continuously all summer, if first blooms are cut. **75c.** 

### ROSY VEIL-

A new dwarf pink double-flowering Gypsophila. Established plants reach a height of 2 feet and bloom in summer and fall. They start blooming 2 weeks earlier than the tall double Gypsophila and continue later in the season. Fit perfectly in the garden and are fine for cutting. **75c.** 

### **GAILLARDIA**

Gay blooms with reddish-brown centers and yellow, daisy-like petals ringed with red. June to November. 18 to 24 inches. Fine for cutting.

### **PLATYCODON**

### BALLOON FLOWER-

Large, showy, balloon-shaped buds which open to star-shaped flowers. June to September.

### LILIES

### REGAL-

The large, trumpet-shaped flowers are snowy white, with a pure yellow center, while the exterior of the petals is slightly tinged pink. It is a strong grower, attaining the height of three or four feet. The flowers are beautiful, possessing a delightful fragrance. Large bulbs, 30c.

### **ELEGANS**—

The fiery-red blooms of this lily are borne in large clusters on medium height, stocky stems. Blooms profusely in June and July and is very hardy. Large blooming size bulbs, 30c each.

### DOUBLE TIGER-

Five feet. Produces an abundance of orange-scarlet flowers in August. Very hardy and vigorous. Large bulbs, 30c each.

### CORAL LILY-

2 feet. The brilliant coral-red flowers are borne in clusters of 5-15 on slender stems. Fine for rock garden or border. **Bulbs, 25c** each.

### LYTHRUM .

### PURPLE LOOSESTRIFE MORDENA-

This is a new Lythrum brought out by the Canadian Experimental Farm at Morden, Manitoba. We think it the best of all the Lythrum and a great improvement over the old types. Long upright growing stems just covered their length with little deep bright rose-pink flowers. This is a good one. Showy plants for moist, shady borders, and watersides. A very useful cut flower, blooms nearly all summer. Blooming size plants, 50c.

### SHASTA DAISY

### ALASKA-

In July and August bears a great profusion of immense, gleaming white blooms, excellent for cutting. 18-24 inch.

#### EARLY ELDER-

Glistening white flowers in early June, making a beautiful display in the garden and especially fine for bouquets. 15 inches. Multiply rapidly and roots should be divided in August and reset.

### MOUNT SHASTA (DOUBLE)-

The pure white flowers are completely double and produced freely from June to October. They are of excellent lasting quality. The stems are about 18 inches high, very stiff, holding the heavy double pure white blooms upright. Excellent for the border as well as for cutting. 50c each.

PRICES OF PERENNIALS, unless noted otherwise, 35c each; 12 for \$3.50

### **Perennial Phlox**

Field grown plants, 35c each; 12 for \$3.50

### SUBULATA (CREEPING PHLOX)-

Blooms in May, when whole plant is a vivid mass of lavender-pink. Very bushy.

### AFRICA-

Brilliant carmine-red with a deep blood-red eye.

### RIJNSTROOM-

Lively shade of rose-pink, very large.

### R. P. STRUTHERS---

Tall. A bright rosy carmine with claret eye.

### PAINTED LADY-

Soft, silvery shaded salmon, bright-red eye. Large individual flowers. Free flowering.

### MARY LOUISE-

A good grower of medium height with clean foliage. Produces pure glistening snow-white heads of unusually large size, the individual flowers being twice as large as other white varieties. 40c.

#### MRS. JENKINS-

A medium tall, early blooming beautiful white.

### STARLIGHT-

A comparatively new Phlox. Deep violet fading to lilac, with a large, star-shaped white center. A good tall Phlox.

### THOR-

An old dependable variety that always gives satisfaction. Grows to medium height. Throws up lots of strong stems which are always covered with great, nicely shaped trusses in pleasing salmon-pink.

### BRIDESMAID-

White with crimson eye.

### **ENCHANTRESS**—

Bright salmon pink. Dark eye.

### SALMON GLOW-

Large florets of deep salmon.

### **Peonies**

A few choice plants of Peonies will fill your garden with color and fragrance from late May through June. Even the rose cannot excel in beauty and charm the flowers of the modern Peony. Here, under our northern conditions, it is peer of all flowers in combining so well the qualities of absolute hardiness, great color variation, size, beauty and fragrance of bloom.

### BARONESS SCHROEDER-

Light pink tint, opening to pure white. Globe shaped. Late. \$1.00.

### **EDULIS SUPERBA**—

Bright mauve pink. Early. 75c.

### FELIX CROUSSE-

Brilliant red. Large globular flowers. Fragrant. \$1.00.

### FESTIVA MAXIMA-

Early and very large. White, with center flaked crimson. Splendid in every way. \$1.00.

### KARL ROSEFIELD-

Rich, glowing crimson. Immense, solid flower. Superb variety. Midseason. \$1.00.

### SARAH BERNHARDT-

Apple blossom pink silver-tipped. Midseason. Fragrant. \$1.00.

### **Ferns**

### OSTRICH PLUME FERNS-

Fine for that shady corner. 25c each; \$2.50 per 12.



Two of the outstanding trees, the Hard Maple and the Blue Spruce, planted by CUTTING'S 25 years ago on 7th St. S.W., Rochester.

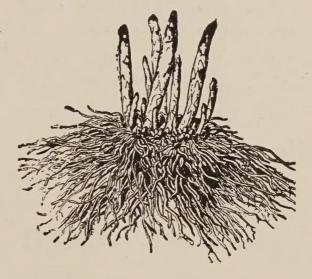
# **Asparagus**

A little space in the garden will grow all the asparagus you need. Plant the roots in deep rich soil, the crowns about four inches below the surface. Use plenty of manure and keep out the quack grass and a patch will last many years.

### PARADISE ASPARAGUS-

One of the newer varieties, very similar in appearance to the Washington. Is highly rust-resistant and a heavier producer. Grows a large crop a full year earlier. Shoots are large and green and of finest quality.

12 25 50 100
One year roots .... \$ .60 \$1.00 \$1.75 \$3.00
Two year roots .... .90 1.60 2.50 4.50



### - REPLACE AGREEMENT

Any evergreens, except windbreak evergreens, that do not live through the first summer will be replaced at one-half price. All other trees, shrubs or perennial plants that do not live through the first summer will be replaced free of charge.

### PEAT FOR LAWNS AND GARDENS

Moss Peat mixed with sandy soil enables it to retain moisture, or if incorporated into a heavy clay soil will prevent it from becoming too sticky when wet or from baking brick-like during dry weather. A mulching on the surface holds the moisture in the soil and prevents injury to the roots from drought or severe freezing.

We have Moss Peat in the granulated form, in 100 lb. bales at \$3.00, or in any smaller quantity.

### MAIL ORDERS

If not convenient for you to come to the nursery we will be glad to receive your mail orders. Strawberries, raspberries and perennials will be sent by parcel post, prepaid, at prices quoted. Other stock will be sent by freight or express, purchaser to pay charges. NURSERY IS LOCATED ON PAVED HIGHWAY, U.S. 14, EIGHT MILES WEST OF ROCHESTER.

# QUALITY STARTED PLANTS FOR THE VEGETABLE GARDEN

### VEGETABLE PLANTS

### Transplanted, From Flats

In our tomato and other vegetable plants we grow strong well-rooted plants and only those varieties which produce the best in this area.

	12	100
Cauliflower	\$ .45	\$
Early Cabbage, Golden Acre	.25	1.65
Late Cabbage	.20	1.25
Celery, Golden Self-Blanching	.35	
Egg Plant, Black Beauty	.40	
Ground Cherry	.40	
Pepper, Sweet	.50	
Tomatoes-Break O'Day, John		
Baer, Jubilee, Marglobe, Fire-		
steel, Ponderosa, Rutgers	.40	2.50

### NEW HYBRID TOMATO PLANTS-

Highly resistant to blight and disease. Bright red fruits, smooth, globular and free from cracks and blemishes—of superb quality and flavor. Early and midseason varieties. 12 for 50c; 100 for \$3.25.

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ABOVE PLANTS BY MAIL—On orders of less than \$1.00, add 15c for packaging and postage. Orders over \$1.00 add 10%.

### POTTED TOMATO PLANTS-

Standard Varieties—2 inch pots, 60c per 12; 4 inch pots, \$1.00 per 12.

Hybrid Varieties—4 inch pots, 13c each; \$1.25 per 12.

Potted plants by mail. Add 25% of the amount of your order for postage and wraping.

### FLOWERING PLANTS

Transplanted-Grown in Flats

	12		12
Alyssum \$	.35	Petunias \$	.35
Ageratum	.50	\$2.50 per 100	
Asters	.40	Marigolds	.35
Calendulas	.35	Snapdragons	.40
Pansies	.65	Salvias	.50
		Zinnias	.35

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### POTTED FLOWERING PLANTS

TO BEAUTIFY YOUR GARDEN, WINDOW BOXES AND HOME

	Ec	ich		
Ageratum	.\$	.10	to	.25
Coleus				.35
Dwarf Dahlias		.10		
Dracenas	11	.65	to	1.00
Geranium		.25	to	.65
Marguerite Daisy		.25	to	.50
Petunias, fringed		.10	to	.35
Petunias, single		.05	to	.40
Petunias, double		.50		
Verbena	_	.15		
Vines—Vinca and				
Asparagus Fern		.25	to	.60

Potted plants by mail. Add 25% of the amount of your order for postage and wrapping.

We will have Potted Plants in bloom for Mother's Day and Decoration Day.

You may bring your cemetery jars to us to be filled, with beautiful plants.

### GARDEN CHRYSANTHEMUMS

For a Radiant Display of Color, Beauty and Form

These Chrysanthemums are a wonderful addition to the garden, producing lots of color for the late summer and autumn.

The plants are grown in 3 inch pots and are healthy, sturdy and true to name.

### AUTUMN SONG-

Large wine-rose shading to carmine. One of the most outstanding of the Chicago strain.

### GLOWING COALS-

Bright deep cherry-red with orange reverse. Well-branched sprays. One of the best early reds.

### DRIFTED SNOW-

A mound of large double white flowers shaded yellow at center. Blooms from mid-September on.

### OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee our nursery stock to be true to name; if anything proves otherwise, we will replace it free with the genuine or refund the amount you paid for it.

### CHARLES NYE-

The Mum of the Year! Large fully-double, rounded flowers of rich buttercup yellow and firm substance.

### EARLY HARVEST-

A mass of glowing mahogany-orange flowers. One of the very best early Mums and far superior to any cushion variety.

### HEATHERBLOOM-

Very double heather-pink, center shaded rose-red with gold tipping.

#### ZANTHA-

Completely double, clear canary-yellow flowers  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches in diameter; compact, globular form.

### AVALANCHE-

One of the best white Mums. Flower 4 inches across, creamy white. Good cut-flower.

#### CHIPPEWA-

Very showy, giant 4 inch aster-like blooms from early September 'till frost.

Above Varieties, 40c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

# EARLY FLOWERING MUMS

All of the low growing cushion type. Many of them blooming in August and until hard frost.

### **BUTTERBALL**—

One of the best early yellows. Color, bright golden yellow. Tidy plant habit.

### MAROON & GOLD-

Prof. Longley's newest sensation! Immense 4 inch mahogany flowers shaded with U. of M. colors. Blooms early September

### PINK CUSHION-

Light pink flowers in great profusion.

### PYGMY GOLD-

Produces quantities of miniature blooms slightly over 1 inch across. Color is clear yellow, remarkable for its brilliance and intensity.

### **BRONZE CUSHION**—

Deep bronze flowers turning to copper yellow.

### RED CUSHION-

Deep bronzy-red, good compact habit.

### VIOLET-

Dr. Longley's newest purple. Full double dahlia-like bloom of good color and substance.

Above Varieties, 30c each, \$2.50 dozen.

# Gladiolus

### BEACON-

Bright rose with cream blotch.

### ETHEL CAVE COLE-

Large light pink.

### GOLD DUST-

Extra rich yellow.

### MASTER MYRON-

Clear, self-colored, bright red.

### ROSA VAN LIMA-

Early, large, pure rose pink.

### SNOW PRINCESS-

Large early white.

### VESTA BONITA-

Salmon pink.

### WHITE GOLD-

Large cream.

#### HILDRED-

Bright lavender.

### ELIZABETH THE QUEEN-

Large ruffled lavender.

### BLUE ADMIRAL-

Large deep violet blue.

### MAID OF ORLEANS-

Large creamy-white with deeper throat.

Prices, named varieties, 10c each; \$1.00 for 12. Mixtures, 85c for 12.

### **Dahlias**

### JANE COWL-

A large flower of warm buff and old gold, blending to a bright salmon at the center.

### JERRY'S BEACON-

A huge round bloom, of Chinese scarlet and a paler reverse side giving it a two-tone effect. Plant is very vigorous.

### WHITE KING-

Pure white.

### AVALON-

Pure, clear yellow, with large flowers.

### JERSEY BEAUTY-

Undoubtedly the finest pink Dahlia in existence. A perfect bloom, carried high on wiry stem.

### MRS. I. De ver WARNER-

Lavender. Strong grower with long straight stems.

### PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA-

Vivid red, very large, free flowering.

Prices of Dahlia Tubers, 45c each; 3 for \$1.25.

### CUTTING'S RELIABLE LAWN SEED

Our mixture contains Kentucky Blue Grass, Red Top, Perennial Rye Grass and White Clover. Use one pound to 250 square feet. 1 lb., 85c; 10 lbs., \$8.00.

### SHADY PLACE MIXTURE

This is a special mixture of the varieties of grass seed that do well in the shade. By planting this seed, then using fertilizer and water to replace that removed by the trees you can grow a good lawn in the shade. **Lb.**, 90c.

### **MILORGANITE**

### Fertilizer

MILORGANITE promotes steady, healthy, uniform growth because its water-insoluble organic nitrogen is released slowly, and is converted into available plant food as needed. That's why lawns fed with Milorganite stay green longer. It is clean, dustless, and free-flowing, too, hence easy to apply, even on a windy day, as it does not blow away during spreading. Prices: 100 lbs., \$3.50; 50 lbs., \$2.00.

### **VIGORO**

Apply it to the lawn in early spring and watch the grass turn green and grow luxuriously. It improves both the quality and quantity of all kinds of flowers, both annual and perennial and will add greatly to the quality and the production of your vegetables, small fruits and ornamental shrubs. Use 4 lbs. to 100 Sq. Ft. 100 lbs., \$4.25; 50 lbs., \$2.50; 25 lbs., \$1.50; 10 lbs., 85c.

### FOLDING BERRY BOXES

125 quart boxes, packed in one 16 qt. crate	0
500 quart boxes, packed in four 16 qt. crates	5
1000 quart boxes, packed in eight 16 qt. crates	0
200 pint boxes, packed in one 16 qt. crate	5
1000 pint boxes, packed in five 16 qt. crates	0
F. O. B. Byron	

### RHUBARB

### CHAPMAN'S CANADA RED-

Very sweet, tender, of fine flavor, with extra-large stalks, bright red all the way through, the red color extending even to the mid-rib of the leaf. Does not lose its bright color in cooking, and both sauce and pies are an appetizing cherry-red color. Chapman's is vigorous in growth, of the hardy, everbearing type, and does not make seed.

### RUBY RED-

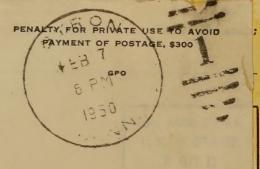
Another new Red Rhubarb introduced from Canada. The stalks are intensely red as the name implies—even the inside of the stalk is red. Rhubarb sauce made from Ruby is as red as strawberry sauce. The skin is so tender it can be cooked with the stalk. Both Ruby and Canada Red are money-makers on the market because they sell on sight at a premium over common Rhubarb.

We have grown both of these varieties for several years and find that, while one is slightly better in some respects, the other has a few other advantages, so that we cannot decide which is really the best one, so we are advising you to plant some of each.

Rhubarb is the cheapest pie and sauce material vou can arow, and is also useful

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